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INFO OCT-01 AF-10 ISO-00 CCO-00 CA-01 SY-05 SCS-06
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O R 021014Z JUL 78
FM AMEMBASSY BEIRUT
TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 8519
AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV NIACT IMMEDIATE
AMCONSUL JERUSALEM NIACT IMMEDIATE
INFO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

C O N F I D E N T I A L BEIRUT 3671

TEL AVIV FOR ASST SECRETARY SAUNDERS

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: ASEC, PINT, LE, PINS
SUBJECT: OUTBREAK OF FIGHTING IN BEIRUT

REF: STATE 167948 (NOTAL)

1. AS OF 1200 LOCAL THE CITY, BOTH EAST AND WEST, IS QUIET.
ALL OFFICIAL AMERICAN PERSONNEL ARE SAFE AND WE HAVE RECEIVED
NO REPEAT NO REPORTS OF INJURY TO AMERICAN CITIZENS.

2. AMBASSADOR PARKER IS PRESENTLY LOCATED AT HIS YARZE
RESIDENCE WHERE HE INTENDS TO REMAIN. WE ARE IN CONTACT
WITH THE RESIDENCE THROUGH COMMERCIAL TELEPHONE, USG
RADIO AND SECURE VOICE (SV-8). UNLESS THE IMMEDIATE
AREA OF THE RESIDENCE IS THREATENED, RSO BELIEVES
AMBASSADOR SHOULD REMAIN AT YARZE TO AVOID CROSSING OF
CONFRONTATION LINE. AMBASSADOR'S PRESENCE IN YEARZE ALSO
FACILITATES HIS CONTACTS WITH PRESIDENT SARKIS.

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3. AMBASSADOR TELEPHONED FORNMIN BOUTROS MORNING JULY 2
AND INFORMED HIM OF DEPARTMENT'S ACTIONS REPORTED
STATE 167948. BOUTROS EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR USG'S
VERY PROMPT AND HELPFUL RESPONSE.
PARKER

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